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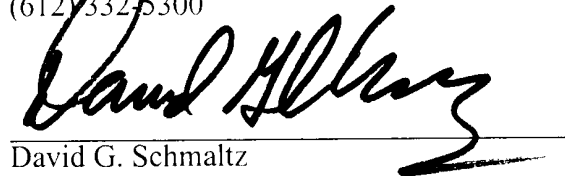
Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the above amendment prior to examination. Claims 25 and 26 have been amended. Applicants have included herewith a document entitled, "VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE" to indicate how the claims have been amended. Claims 29-38 have been added. No new matter is introduced in the amendment. Claims 1-38 are pending.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' representative at the below-listed telephone number if it is believed that prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

Respectfully submitted,

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

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Claims 25 and 26 were amended as follows:

25. (Amended) A switching module comprising:

a module body having a first side, a second side, and a circuit [circuit] board extending from adjacent the first side toward the second side;

first and second connectors located at the first side for connecting to first and second cables, the first and second connectors including tip, ring, and ground connections;

first and second connector locations at the second side for connecting to a first signal transmission member and a second signal transmission member, respectively;

movable two position switches on the circuit board for selectively connecting the first and second connectors of the first side.

26. (Amended) The switching module of claim 25, wherein the [connectors include tip, ring and ground connections] movable two position switches are sliding switches.

Claims 29-38 are new.